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Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 09/436,347	Applicant(s) WHITE ET AL.	
	Examiner Alana M. Harris, Ph.D.	Art Unit 1643	

All Participants:

(1) Alana M. Harris, Ph.D.

(2) David Fitzgerald.

Date of Interview: 16 May 2008

Status of Application: Pending

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Time: 12:31 pm

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

Prior art documents discussed:

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

The Examiner informed Mr. Fitzgerald finality of the Office Action mailed July 17, 2007 was withdrawn and a non-final rejection was completed and in preparation for mailing. The Examiner apologized on behalf of the Office for the extended length of time it has taken in order to expedite prosecution.

Part III.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/Alana M. Harris, Ph.D./
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1643

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

